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Applicant: Mark C. Fishman et al. Confirmation No.: 8749  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for filing an appeal brief after the filing of a Notice of Appeal on July 29, 2009 in connection with the above-captioned application be extended for 5 months, to and including March 1, 2010. Applicants note February 28, 2010 fell on a Sunday.

Applicants hereby authorize the Office to charge Deposit Account No. 03-2095 in the amount of \$2,350.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). If there are any other charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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